OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 5th September 1936.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice	Guntoor, per palla	100	246	12 12 0 to 14 4 0	...	6½ to 7½ seers per rupee.
	Pattasemanahalli Sanna, per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur, per palla	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	11 0 0 to 11 8 0	...	8½ to 9 ,,
	Alubbalu, per palla	100	246	.....	No stock	
Ragi	Duvain (Black), per cartload.	640	...	43 0 0 to 44 0 0	...	14 to 14½ ,,
	Superior (Red), per cartload.	640	...	45 0 0	...	
Tur	Gulbergs	...	...	.....	...	9½ to 10 ,,
Tur (Dal)	.....	...	...	.....	...	6 to 7 ,,
Avare	.....	...	...	.....	...	7 to 9 ,,
Avare (Dal)	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 7 ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	...	26½	4 12 0 to 5 0 0	...	Re. 0-2-3 to 0-2-9 per seer.
	Castor oil	...	28	4 6 0 to 4 8 0	...	
Oil seeds	Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy.	256	...	28 0 0 to 32 0 0	...	
	Castor seed, per candy	256	...	27 0 0	...	
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar	White Bura	...	25	3 4 0	...	Re. 0-6-0 to 0-6-6 per viss.
	Kolar Bura	...	25	3 0 0	...	
Jaggery	Achu	...	28	0 13 0 to 1 3 0	...	Re. 0-2-8 to 0-2-9 per viss.
	Oonde	...	28	0 13 0 to 1 3 0	...	
Ghee	Superior (Mandya)	...	26½	18 0 0	...	Rs. 2-4-0 per viss.
Salt	Bombay Salt (Black)	105	...	2 2 0	...	14 seers per rupee.

BANGALORE,
Dated 7th September 1936.

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MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1936.

A total of 29 attacks with 17 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 48 attacks with 26 deaths in the previous week. Bangalore City reported 8 attacks with 2 deaths while Mysore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 19 attacks with 7 deaths and 145 attacks with 66 deaths, respectively.

A total of 32 attacks with one death from Small-pox was reported from one village in each of Chikmagalur, and Tarikere Taluks, two villages from Honnali Taluk three villages from Shikaripur Taluk, and from Shimoga Town and Kolar Gold Field Area.

Seventeen attacks with 3 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in Harihar Sub-Taluk and two villages in Holalkere Taluk.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 123 (21 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 31·78 (26·35 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28·94 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—2 under Plague, 1 under Malaria 3 under other Fevers, 12 under Phthisis, 12 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 93 under all other causes. Excess of deaths were reported under all other causes.

During the week, (for six days) the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 79 deaths (14 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 33·87 (27·87 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 30·30 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 9, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 14 Phthisis 8, other Fevers 1, Typhoid 2 and all other causes 42. The mortality was more or less normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 71 (26 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 30·87 (19·57 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 21·28 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 3 under Malaria, 2 under Typhoid, 10 under Phthisis, 12 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 44 under all other causes. Excess of deaths were reported under Phthisis, Malaria and all other causes.

There were 67 deaths (5 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 41·62 (38·51 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against the annual ratio of 37·15 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 3 under Malaria, 4 under other Fevers, 10 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 50 under all other causes.

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